

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Confirmation No.: 3685

NAKAJIMA et al.

Art Unit: 3752

Application No.: 10/058,064

Examiner: James F. Hook

Filed: January 29, 2002

Attorney Dkt. No.: 100725-00070

For:

FIBER REINFORCED PLASTIC PIPE AND POWER TRANSMISSION

SHAFT EMPLOYING THE SAME

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Director of the U.S. PTO P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: May 10, 2005

Sir:

Applicants petition for an extension of time for two months for filing of an Appeal Brief from March 11, 2005 to May 11, 2005, a Notice of Appeal having been filed on January 11, 2005.

Please find attached a check in the amount of \$450.00 to cover the fee for the extension of time discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, making reference to Attorney Docket No. 100725-00070.

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Submitted herewith is an Appeal Brief. A check in the amount of Five Hundred (\$500.00) is enclosed to cover the official fees for the Appeal Brief. Please charge any fee deficiencies required with respect to this paper, or overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing docket number 100725-00070

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